IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	pplication of)	
	Darren Y.K. Yap et al.)	Examiner: unknown
Serial I	No. 09/940,369)	
Filed:	August 24, 2001)	Group Art Unit: 3763
For:	IMPROVED FLUID RESERVOIR)	
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time, extending from December 9, 2001 to January 9, 2002 the period for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated October 9, 2001. The responsive papers are enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee insufficiency (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 50-0621. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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